Scarcity of Water in Basavakalyana Town

428 - SRI. BASAVARAJA PATIL ATOOR (Basavakalyana) : Will the Hon'ble Minister for Urban Development be Pleased to State?

1. *Whether it has come to the notice of the Government about acute Scarcity of drinking water prevails in Basavakalyan Town?*
2. *If so, the action taken by the Government to supply water to Basavakalyan town from Chulki Nala?*
3. *Whether the Scheme is ready for water supply to Basavakalyan Town with Chulki Nala as source?*
4. *When the scheme will be started?*

Sri. B.N. Bache Gowda (Minister for Urban Development) :

1. Yes

2. Action has been taken to prepare a permanent new water supply scheme with Chulki Nala as source.

3. An augmentation water supply scheme to this town with Chulki Nala as source is prepared at an estimated cost of Rs. 1250.00 lakhs.

4. The proposal is under examination of Government. Work will be commenced after the scheme is administratively approved by the Govt.

5. The cost of the proposed scheme is Rs. 1250.00 lakhs.

Drinking water supply to Mercara

429 - SRI. D.S. MADAPPA (Mercara) : Will the Hon'ble Minister for Urban Development be Pleased to State?

1. *How much amount has been released by th Govt. towards drinking water supply to Mercara during 1996-97 and 1997-98?*
2. *Out of the released amount how much amount has been spent so far?*